



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 10/717,299
Confirmation No. : 6479
Applicant: : Srinivas, et al.
Filed: : November 19,2003
Group Art Unit : 1754
Examiner: : Hertzog, Ardit E.
For: : Process for the Simultaneous Removal of
Sulfur and Mercury
Docket No. : 144-02
Customer No. : 23713

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)

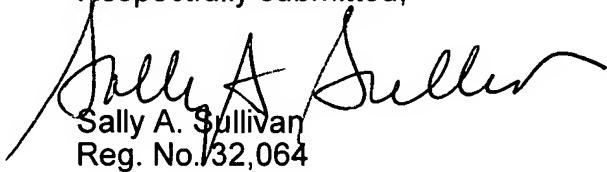
MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for the minimum extension of time necessary so that the accompanying Response to Final Office Action is timely filed.

It is believed that an extension of one month is required. Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$60 as required under 37 C.F.R. §1.17. If this amount is incorrect, please charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment under the foregoing rules to deposit account no. 07-1969.

Respectfully submitted,



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